



ASSOCIATED STUDENT GOVERNMENT

SENATE AGENDA · 4TH MEETING

OCTOBER 1ST, 2012

I. Call to Order

Vice President called the meeting to order at 7:01

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

IV. Orders of the Day

- Senator Samuels moved to strike out guest speaker
 - Seconded by Meghan Bates
 - General Consent
- Senator Elliot moved to approve the agenda
 - Seconded by Senator Wortham
 - General Consent

V. Approval of Minutes

- Senator Snoe moved to approve the minutes
 - Seconded by Pro Tempore Henley

General Consent

VI. Guest Speakers

A. Amanda Kamenoff- Rio Vistas representative

VII. Public Forum

VIII. Executive Reports

- Veterans Liaison- Veterans Parade, 5K, Veterans Day Extravaganza
- Chief of Staff- UNT Trip
- Special Assistant- Going over Lindsey's report, rules for amendments, photos from ASG- send to Cody, placards, go write legislation
- Senate Pro-Tempore- Senator of the Month Award-Ryan Elliot
- President McDaniel- Overview of university committee meeting-fun facts, student regent applications, search for a new LBJ Director, Leslie Bulkley resignation
- Vice President Sibley- Student Foundation Invitation-Paige Cook, Overview of calendar, Absences for events, US 1100 classes, meetings with senators-be expecting phone calls, yielded to President Nathan-Vistas Apartment Complex update

IX. Legislative Reports

- Senator Belew- Update on these pieces of legislation from various senators: Alkek stairs, service hours for tailgate, veteran's initiative, concealed carry on campus

- Senator Parker- Reentry policy for football games
- Senator P. Cook (Soph.)- Cubicle space
- X. Old Business
 - A. S.R.F. 2012-2013/1- The Resolution to alter the facsimile weapon policy
 - Senator Bates moved to consider this piece of legislation already read
 - Seconded by Senator Nixon
 - General Consent
 - Author's Speech-Ryan Elliot
 - Alter the rules for the facsimile weapon policy
 - Questions
 - Senator Sandoval- Pertaining to Humans vs. Zombies?
 - Follow up- Is it necessary to have a BB gun on the legislation?
 - Senator Parker- Explain Humans vs. Zombies
 - Senator Belew- Considered a time period where you can go place this game?
 - Senator Snoe- This legislation is just an open door policy?
 - Senator Moerke- Have you talked to UPD?
 - Follow up- Have you thought about the implications of piece of legislation?
 - Senator A. Potter- Would it be possible to amend this so that these facsimile weapons could not be in classes?
 - Senator Samuels- Have you done any research about any other campuses that have this and what have you found?
 - Senator Belew- Have you considered criteria for the facsimile weapons?
 - Senator Valley- Would this allow paintball guns on campus as well?
 - Senator Moerke- Are you aware the UT has a gun range on campus? Are you sure that their policy would have to do with that gun range?
 - Senator Snoe MOVED TO adopt
 - Senator K. Cook Seconded
 - General Consent
 - Debate and Discussion
 - Senator Snoe- Opening the door for administration to consider this
 - Senator Sandoval- Implications of presenting this to administration
 - Senator Trexler- Friendly amendment, line 7- upper to "higher"
 - Author approves
 - Senator Wortham- In full support, it could promote more students to get involved
 - Senator Herron- Great way to get student orgs to interact

- Senator Elliot- As a previous senator said- this does not pertain to a certain event; it is an open door policy
- Senator Valley- author should consider a different piece of legislation
- Senator Moerke- Should CASO have any say so?
- Senator Elliot- CASO is involved with people on campus who would be wanting to adopt this policy
- Senator Snoe called the questions
 - Seconded by Pro-Tempore Henley
 - General Consent
- 33-9-7 Legislation Passes

XI. New Business

A. Nomination of Senate Ex-Officio members

- Scheduling Conflict

B. Nomination of Senators

- Kevin Kutras
- Bradley Drake
- Rachel Waugh
- Questions

- Senator Wortham-What can you bring to ASG?
 - Driven and wants to pursue ASG
 - Great ideas, help TXST as a whole, and improve it
 - Always been involved, loves TXST
- Senator Bonnano moved to approve
 - Seconded by Senator C. Smith
- Taken up by voice vote- the Ayes won
- Oath of office

C. S.R.F. 2012-2013/2- “Executive Composition Clarification”

- Senator Delagarza read the legislation

XII. Adjournment

- Senator Snoe moved to adjourn
- Seconded by Senator Elliot
- General Consent